# **County News**

From the Record's Corps of Forty Special Correspondents.

### ARCADA DISTRICT NO. 8.

Mrs. A. Roberts is some better at this writing.

Only one more week of school. Mrs. Jesse Emesley is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter and baby

visited at Orin Bailey's last week. Albert Carr visited at Jim Poterfield's last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. Jacobs and three children are visiting her parants, Mr. and Mrs. Ray

Jay Hackett and family visited at W. S. Bangs over Sunday.

Will Clark and Ezra Eddy attended the St. Patricks dance in Alma Friday

Miss Ethel Warren is working at Dr. Ray Turck's in Alma.

Ray Taylor is no better. Clarence and Ed Clark were in Mc-

Bain last week on business. Allie and Hattie Burmingham visited

school last Wednesday.

A young gentleman applied for board at Walter Clark's March 6. They concluded to learn him cluded to keep him.

#### Got off Cheap.

He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this, but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at Geo. E. Sharrar's drug store; guaranteed.

#### ELWELL.

A bouncing boy made its appearance at Will Pritchard's Friday night. Mother and boy are doing well.

Mr. Cyers fell off a load of straw and broke two of his ribs Friday.

In spite of the bad weather the dance given by the Gleaners was a Mr. and Mrs. James Christman, Monsuccess, there being fity numbers sold, day, G. G. Wiley and mother made Rose Nucume a visit Saturday.

Ben Lane, of St. Louis, did business in town Monday

Levi Pritchard has rented Drake Phelp's farm for a year. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Reed started for

Indian Territory Wednesday morning tile Co's, store. for an extended visit. Edwin Lester and family were the

guests of A. G. Wiley and family Sun-A. G. Wiley sold a horse to Levi Pritchard.

We want a hustling agent to take care of the sale of the Leader Washer here. The right person will get a good living from the start. We pay a salary outright for the first few weeks if you want it that way. No need applying unless you can give all your energy to the work and at least half your time. There are no schemes about this offer. We mean just Laughlin. what we say and have good permanent place for the right person, man or woman. There can be but one agent in a town, so if you're interested and in dead earnest. write us today. To save time, send along references from the editor or some other responsible person. Leader Washer Co., Bay City, Mich.

### FOREST HILL.

Hornee An well, of Lansing, was the guest of J. W. Donne last Sunday,

Wm. Small and wife have been spending a few days in Clipton county Silas Randolf was in Jown last Mon-

Mr. Markham and family are moving on the place lately purchased of Mrs. Rosa Newcomb.

Jonathan Taylor, of Gibsonburg, Ohio, visited J. Katenhus and family last week. S. Hanson left last Thursday for

Cleveland to visit his son, Henry. M. L. Perrigo and wife are enjoying a visit from the latter's parents, of St.

Louis: Bert Mixon and wife, of Alma, visited the families of B. T. Wells and H. Rob-

inson last week Mrs. L. E. Campfield went to Detroit last Monday to spend a few days with her daughter, Lenna Belle,

A pleasant surprise party was given in honor of H. Robinson last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Pierson, of Ludington, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Carl.

### BEBOW'S CORNERS.

Harland Dersham called on Will Behow Sunday evening.

Mr. D. Cameron of Alma Tuesday. Will McCall is floading logs in St.

Orlo Wagner sold his buggy to E Dersham last Saturday.

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### PLEASANT VALLEY.

The Aid Society at Mrs. Chambers was well attended and took in \$5.20. They meet with Mrs. Muzea Robinson

Fourteen young people enjoyed a

There were no services at the church Sunday owing to the severe snow storm. The K. O. T. M. M. were entertained by some wrestling Saturday evening.

Cora Hill has purchased the Eli Oswald place and has taken possession. Mr. Oswald has moved to St. Louis. Several new families from Ohio have

recently moved in the vacant buildings

in this vicinity.

Stop! Don't take imitation celery teas when you ask for Celery King, a medi-eme of great value. The "teas" are

#### CENTRAL PINE RIVER.

Sumner Farr has sold one of his horses, Arther Udell being the buyer.

James Mill's children are sick with L. Fleming is building an addition to

his house which is a great improvement. Mrs. D. Wilkinson, visited her brothers, Clyde and John McCarrick, Saturday. Miss Alice Sloan was the guests of Miss Anna Brown Thursday.

John Hineline has moved with his family onto his farm near Pleasant

Miss Erma Baker entertained Miss Edna Veder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloane visited Auction sales and moving are the

order of the day. Miss Alice Sloane was entertained at her aunt's, Mrs. D. Wilkinson, over

Sunday Several from here attended the dance ield in the addition of the Lee Mercan-

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#### SOUTHEAST FERRIS

Jay Fulford and R. M. Elsworth were in Crystal Friday on business.

Lidia Stearns spent Saturday and a cough Sunday with her sister, Grace Mc- stitch in side

J. I. Briggs was a business caller in variable appetite Riverdale Friday. James Gregory was the gnest of mixing of frothy mu-

Eugene Osterhout Saturday.

Chas, Jolley and Arthur Pugsley were in Maple Rapids and St. Johns the latter, difficulty in breathing part of last week.

Chas. Wood, of Newark, was a business caller in this neighborhood Friday. John McLaughlin and family, who have been living in this neighborhood, with additional ozone, and after a few moved on their farm north of Riverdale days use of this treatment the majority the latter part of last week.

A Severe Cold For Three Months The following letter from A. J. Nusstory: "I suffered for three months money if Hyomei does not cure. with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician pre-scribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and ight does cured me." Refuse substitutes Sold by Geo. E. Sharrar.

### LANGPORT.

Miss Frances Parmelee returned to her home at Farmington Monday. A surprise party was given Miss Ada Coleman Friday night.

Theo. Snyder and N. Sand spent Friday at Ithaca.

A farewell party was given Mrs. Stevens and family Thursday night They will make their future home in

Mr. Clark and son, Charles, made a usiness trip to Ithaca Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Lowe and daughter. Clara, made a business trip to Ithaca Thursday.

Mrs. Chas, Lowe and daughter are

isiting relatives in Owosso. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lauer are the proud parents of a little son, born to

hem March 13. Mrs. Dora Derry and daughter, from near Ashley, spent Thursday at the home of N. E. Saad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Higgins, of Elsie, are moving their household furniture to

the farm of D. Snyder. N. E. Saad and wife spent Sunday at L. Hollenbeck's.

Mrs. Fred Snow, of Midland, is visit-

ng her mother, Mrs. Bowman. Misses Carrie Clark and Ethel Gotz spent Sunday with Clara Yarger.

Frank Eastman spent Tuesday in St.

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### Our Schools

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The reading table in the high school oom has some very choice magazines such as the Outlook, Century. Review of Reviews, Public Opinion, Everyody's Magazine and college exchanges i, e Almanian, Echo and Normal College sleigh ride last Sunday evening, being News. In no other way can we keep in entertained at the boarding place of touch with the events of the day or put as good reading in the reach of so many persons as providing a reading table for the students. At the end of the year these magazines are bound and placed in

library to be used for further reference.

They aid the students in preparing for current events, debates, history etc., and

afford a valuable medium through which

Debating Club Notes.

current history can be recorded and pre-

The meeting of the Alma High School Debating Club last Wednesday night was attended by a larger crowd than usual, on St. Patrick's Day, fitly decorated. At Besides most of the members being present, we were honored by a visit from our an Orangeman a bath but he escaped by urged upon you because they are bought cheap. Never jeopardize your health in a bad cause. Celery King only costs 25 cents and it never disappoints.

old school associates and friends, Edward running half a mile. It certainly was amusing to see about fourteen Orangemen chasing a forlorn and lonely Green. Call Verne Johnson and Charley Hulse on the question, resolved, "That Football is More Beneficial than Track Work" re- and pupils to make Current Events mended by the critic. After twenty themselves like old veterans. is house which is a great improvement our good qualities were brought up be Arbitration treaty. Santo Domingo fore us, although the former took by far troubles, the president's cabinet, doings

#### WHAT IS CATARRH?

Hyomei cures catarrh by the simple method of breathing it into the air pass, ages and lungs. It kills the germs of will be determined by scholarship. The the irritated mucous membrane, enters the blood with the oxygen and kills the valedictorian and the one standing second germs present there, effectually driving this disease from the system

If you have any of the following symptoms, catarrhal germs are at work somewhere in the mucous membrane of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes or tissues of the lungs

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and healing qualities of Foley's Honey dryness of the nose discharge of the noe stoppage of the nose aching of the body pain in front of the head dropping in the throat month open while sleeping

tendency to take cold

burning pain in the tickling back of the hawking to clear the formation of crusts in the nose pain in the chest dryness of the throat

cough short and backlow spirited at times cough worse nights and mornings COUR expectorating yellow loss in vital force

a feeling of tightness actosa the upper part of the chest frequent sneezing Hyomei will cure the disease, destroy activity of all germ life in the respiratory organs, enrich and purify the blood

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Bird Clark and Volney Church have ft school for the season.

Friday in chapel exercises a double quartette sang a song entitled "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes."

The American Literature class are reading poems written by Lowell. The fourth grade are keeping a record of the birds they see this spring.

Daisy Robbins has been absent from chool for the past week. Miss Susie Edwards visited school last

Wednesday. Miss Holliday visited chapel last Wednesday morning.

Lottie Seavers has left school. Glenn Anderson has returned to school after a two weeks' absence on account of

The Zoology class are studying about pirds. Last Friday afternoon they went out into the woods to find some evidences of spring but were not very successful. The Algebra class are showing a great iterest in their work.

Max Ewers and Albert Hudson have inished their year's work in bookkeeping and have taken up the second set. The Physiology class have a skeleton from the college to study.

A few chosen warriors of the Orange and Green assembled at the high school

sulted in a close victory for Mr. Johnson. Morning a feature of the morning exer-who had the negative side of the argu-cises in the high school. The seventh ment. The debate was both interesting and eighth grades are being mustered and instructive and was highly com- into service, and they are acquitting minutes' parliamentary practice, the critic's report was presented by Prof deavoring to keep in touch with history as Rockwell. Again our mistakes as well as it is made. Last Friday morning the the most time. Those that come on for debate next Wednesday night, March 22, are Max Ewers and John Dunham. The debate bids fair to be very interesting

At a special meeting of the seniors last week, the following students were chosen Hyomel Gures this Common and Disagreeable Disease. to represent the class on Class day: Historian, Nina Ward, prophetess, Linnie Udelle, Katherine Hall; class poet, Kathe erine Wynne; class orator, John M. Dunham. The valedictorian and salutatorian the catarrhal poison, heals and soothes the irritated mucous membrane enters will be the salutatorian.

## Arma College

College closes today (Friday) for the pring vacation and reopens April 4. Miss Lena Dyer spent Sunday at her home in Ferris.

Charles Moore was called home Saturday by the death of his mother.

David Johnson preached at Rosebush and Will Rohlf at Elkton, last Sunday Miss Mohala Reynolds was called to her home in Cassopolis. Saturday, by serious illness in the family.

Miss Angie Buchanan, of Grand Rapids, is making a visit at the college Messrs. Carr and Allured and Misses Wallace and Dyer attended the Music Festival at Mt. Pleasant last week.

### Jurches and Societies

The Woman's Club will meet with Mr? Emma J. Vermeulen on Monday, March 9, at 2:45 standard time. Subject Othello, Act III, Scene 3, from line 136, Scene 4, Leader Miss Delayan.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Sharrar next Tuesday after-

The Right Reverand G. Mott Williams, baum, of Batesville. Ind., tells its own emphasize it by agreeing to refund your D. D., bishop of Marquette, will confirm tory: "I suffered for three months money if Hyomei does not cure." evening at 7:30. All are invited.

Services at St. John's church on Sunday, 10:30 morning prayer and sermon, 12:00 Sunday School, 7:30 evening prayer and sermon. All are invited to attend.

"Our Guide Book," Sunday morning subject at the Baptist church. In the evening the pastor will preach on the subject which was announced for last Sunday, "Can a Person be Just as Good a Christian out of the Church as in it?' the evening subject. Those who have not yet returned their "Christian Education" envelope will please do so on Sun-

### BEEBE VICTORY LODGE ENTERTAIN.

Thirty members of Cresent Lodge No. 75, of Ithaca went to Beebe Tuesday evening to confer the Rebekah degree upon three candidates of Victory Lodge. A banquet was served after the lodge work was finished and a good social time

enjoyed by all. When the visiting members were get ting ready to leave, the horses turned in such a manner as to break the tongue to their vehicle, and the village blacksmith had to be called to make repairs. They finally got started home at two

### TOWNSHIP TICKET.

D. L. Sharrar P. J. Adams Supervisor, Frank Keefer Treasurer. Highway Commissioner Fred Church Board of Review, D. J. Gibbs, A. Dobson School Inspectors, R. Wood, John Rush

Justice of the Peace, (full term) J. Justice of the Peace to fill vacancy, H. C. Clark, Nat, Nevins, A. Roberts, Constables, A. Roberts, H. B. Clark.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other disease a put toge her and autit the last few years was supposed to be meurable. For a creat many years doctors prono need it a local disease, and prescribed local resmedies and by constantly failing to curable, "cience has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore, requires constitutional treatment, Hall's Catarrh Cure, minufactured by F. J. Chency & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market, it is taken in ernally in doses from 10 drops to a temp offul. It sets directly on the blood and mucius surfaces of the system. They offer one him fred dolars for any C so it fails to come. Send for circulars and testimon-

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#### WEST PINE RIVER,

Miss Alice Sloane visited Miss Anna Brown one day last week

Miss Mae Kyes returned home Mon day from Summerton, where she has been visiting the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Becker spent Thursday and Friday in Riverdale. Mrs. Chas. Plowman spent one day last week at F. M. Kyes'.

John Morton went to Muskegon Satur-

day on a business trip. Mrs. C. F. Wright is some better. Melvin and Bertha Adams entered the Wright school as new pupils Monday.

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### TUBBS DISTRICT.

On account of the storm, the social at the school house last Friday evening was not very well attended.

Miss Bessie Swope, of Wheeler, spent last Tuesday with Jennie Partee. Grant Kime, who has been working at Elkhart, Indiana, returned home last

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dancer, of South Wheeler, visited John Allen and family one day last week.

Roy Partee began gathering cream for he Port Huron company last Monday. Quite a number from here attended Irving Warne's sale last Thursday. Mr. Warne and family leave soon for Belding. Verd Thompson, of Merrill, was in this vicinity this week in the interest of the Empire Produce Co.

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